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Dec 13, To Pang Nyo, from Whampoa.

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## New Advertisements.

**CLASSES "Pick-me-Up" or American Cock Tail Bitters,** with silver tube attached to facilitate dropping, thereby doing away the necessity of drawing the cork.

**VICTORIA DISPENSARY.** Hongkong, December 6, 1899.

THE following GOODS have been landed on board steamer, many of which will be found suitable for the coming Christmas festivities, viz:

CHOCOLATE MENIER.

FRUIT CAKES.

ROSE WATER CRACKERS.

FLORAL FOUNDATIONS.

PERFUME SACCHETS and various other GOODS, such as:

Gold and Silver RESPIRATORS.

FEAR CHEST PROTECTORS for Weak Children.

SYNTHETIC FEEDING BOTTLES.

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Rosewater for removing superfluous hair.

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Per P. M. S. "AMERICA" FIRST CLASS Anglo-Spanish, Anglo-French and Franco-Portuguese DIRECTORIAL, GUY'S Physician, Chinese Firm (handwritten), Confucius and the Chinese Classics, The Atlantic, Overland, Harper's and Goddard's MAGAZINES and a number of Standard American NOVELS.

MORRIS & Co., News Agents.

Hongkong, December 6, 1899. de16

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**WANTED TO PURCHASE.** A STRONG PONY, quiet to drive. Particulars to be sent to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, December 13, 1899. de18

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At MRS. ROSE'S MILLINERY & DRESSERY ESTABLISHMENT, WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Roman Catholic Chapel, Hongkong, December 13, 1899. jal

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TOYS and Sundry other Articles suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

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ORNAMENTS for Christmas Trees.

TOYS, DOLLS, etc., etc.

(Per last Mail.)

BONNETS, HATS, MANILAS, FLOWERS, SKIRTS, etc., etc., of the latest fashion.

Hendrie's and Gossell's new PERFUMES, etc., etc. At MISS GARRETT'S, Queen's Road, Hongkong, December 8, 1899.

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**CAUTION.** WHEREAS it has been brought to our notice that our Soda Water CAPS, stamped "Hongkong Dispensary," are being used by House-boys for Chinese Soda Water Makers, who use them to cap their bottles, and who afterwards fraudulently supply the same to the public, and for the purpose of preventing this, we hereby give notice that we will prosecute all persons offending under the provisions of the "Margarine and Butter Ordinance 1893."

At WATSON & Co., Hongkong Dispensary, Hongkong, November 20, 1899. 1620

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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS PURSUANT TO THE BANKRUPTCY ORDINANCE 1869, SECTION 170.** EDWARD CONSTANT RAY, lately residing in partnership with JOSEPH JOHNSON RAY, as a Shopkeeper and Commission Merchant at Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong under the style or firm of "RAY & Co." and now of Victoria, do hereby give notice that on the 14th day of November instant, having executed a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors which can be inspected at the office of the undersigned, and whereof WILLIAM RICHMOND HARRISON and JOHN FAIRBAIRN, both of Victoria, are named as Trustees, the Creditors of the said EDWARD CONSTANT RAY are hereby required to signify their assent to or dissent from such

## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

NOTICE.  
THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.  
By "Hookey," 23rd August, 1869.  
Vice A.C. C. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, December 13, 1869.

NOTICE.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo per M. I. Co.'s steamship "Donna," are requested to send their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take delivery of their goods before the 18th instant, at noon, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.  
C. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, December 13, 1869.

DUTCH BARQUE MARIA LOUISA  
ANTONETTE, FROM HAMBURG.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at consignees' expense.  
BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.  
Hongkong, August 30, 1869.

BRITISH SHIP STAR OF THE NORTH,  
FROM LONDON.  
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BOURJAU, HUBNER & Co.  
Hongkong, October 18, 1869.

## NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.  
MR. H. H. WARDEN is admitted a partner in our firm from this date.  
RUSSELL & Co.  
China, December 1, 1869.

NOTICE.  
THE interest and responsibility of our partner, the late Mr. SHARPOURZEE BOMONZEE, passed in our firm on the 4th instant.  
CAWASJEE PALLANJE & Co.  
Hongkong, November 23, 1869.

MR. PAUL GERHARD HUBER, and Mr. ALBERT GUTZOW have been authorized to sign our firm here and in China from this date.  
SIEMSEN & Co.  
Hongkong, November 1, 1869.

NOTICE.  
MR. THOMAS H. DE SILVA, is admitted a partner in our firm from the 1st of October, 1869.  
L. FRICKEL & Co.  
Hongkong, October 21, 1869.

NOTICE.  
I HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE ADJUSTER, and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.  
O. LANGDON DAVIES.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1868.

NOTICE.  
MR. FAIRBANKS has been duly authorized to sign our firm for Procurement from this date.  
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 15, 1869.

NOTICE.  
THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foochow, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co., the partners therein being, Mr. WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr. THOMAS LARKEN.  
WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR.  
Foochow, May 1, 1869.

NOTICE.  
WE have authorized Mr. CHAS. BUNDS to sign our firm from this date.  
DEYER & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.  
MR. ROBERT JOHNSTONE is authorized to sign our firm for Procurement.  
FINDLAY, RICHARDSON & Co.  
Yokohama, November 18, 1869.

## For Sale.

PHOTOGRAPHIC VIEWS of  
Pekin and its surroundings.  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, November 8, 1869.

A Full Size BILLIARD TABLE  
by Sherwood, Calcutta, with  
Marking Board, Cues, Rests, Balls,  
&c., &c., complete.  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, November 3, 1869.

FOR SPORTSMEN.  
THE Underwriter has received an assortment of—  
BROODING FOWLING PIECES.  
AMMUNITION and REQUISITES for same, as—  
CARTRIDGES, 16 and 12 gauge, and CARTRIDGE CLOSERS, of Metal and Wood.  
GAPS for recharging same.  
CARTRIDGES, CARBINE, and GAME BAGS.  
POUNDER-FLASKS and Shot Pouches.  
Double Strap Shot POUCHES, SLINGS and Pouch SLINGS.  
Eley's Green patent Wire CARTRIDGE of most useful sizes.  
Eley's Superior Elastic Concealed Belt WADDING, etc., etc., of most useful sizes.  
Also,  
For Ladies and Gentlemen, —  
Pleasant SALON RIFLES and PISTOLS, AMMUNITION for same.  
And offer the above on reasonable terms.  
Wm. SCHMIDT & Co.,  
Gunmakers,  
Queen's Road Central, 94,  
Hongkong, October 16, 1869.

FOR SALE, EX SHIP.  
200 Tons Cardiff Patent FUEL.  
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CARLOWITZ & Co.  
Hongkong, September 11, 1869.

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Hongkong, December 2, 1869.

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## New Advertisements.

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SECURITY.  
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THE Directors of the Royal Insurance Company have the pleasure of supplying the following information to the public, as evidence of the ample security they afford to their Assureds.  
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of the Company, available for the purpose of meeting any unusual calamity happening to the Assured, is—  
Two Millions Sterling.  
The amount actually paid up is £238,468. This sum, the "Accumulated Funds" in Hand, makes the invested resources of the Company upwards of ONE MILLION SIX HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS, which amount is invested as follows:—  
Invested Funds of the Royal Insurance Company, 30th June, 1869.  
Real Property owned by the Company £219,571 11 3  
Mortgages on Freehold Property 33,500 0 0  
£20,000 Reduced 3 per cent. Consols 28,085 1 3  
India Government 5 per cent. Debentures 100,000 0 0  
English Railway Debenture Bonds 59,090 17 7  
First-class English Railway Preference and Guaranteed Stocks 335,476 11 11  
Loans to Local Authorities of various towns in Great Britain, who have obtained the sanction of the Secretary of State to borrow the amounts—  
Bonds of the Mersey Docks and Harbour Board 62,341 14 8  
Bonds of the British and Irish Magnetic Telegraph Co. 10,000 0 0  
Bonds of the Liverpool Corporation 5,180 0 0  
United States Government Bonds 101,330 7 10  
Canada Bonds and Canada Dominion Stock 31,106 11 6  
Short Loans on first-class English Dividend-paying Stocks with margin, from 20 to 50 per cent. on market value 477,195 0 0  
Loans on Security of Life Policies 63,938 8 5  
£1,672,356 16 11  
The above is a complete list of the Investments of the Company at the date specified, in addition to which the funds are still further increased, by amounts constantly varying, at different periods, in the hands of the Bankers and Compt. Agents.  
At 31st December, 1868, these stood at—  
£168,089 2 0  
For the satisfaction of the Public, the whole of the Securities belonging to the Company are annually submitted to the careful scrutiny of two independent Auditors, and the following is an Extract from their Report to the last Annual Meeting:—  
"The whole of your Books have been Audited—every Document, every account, every Voucher, your Bank-book, and every Security—all have been most carefully kept, and there is not one doubtful Security in the whole."  
THE ACCUMULATIONS OF THE LIFE DEPARTMENT.  
After payment of Losses, Annuities, and Expenses of every description, have been as follows:—  
Funds in Hand at the last Quinquennial Valuation, 31st Dec., 1864, £631,434 15 6  
Added to 31st Dec., 1866, 135,746 7 3  
" " " 1867, 124,165 7 6  
" " " 1868, 128,583 5 10  
" " " 18

TO-DAY'S POLICE.

Russell occupied the Bench.

Wid Browne, proprietor of the Oriental and Muscum Alley, appeared by summons, on the night of the 10th inst., he unobscurely admitted persons remain in his house drinking at 11 o'clock at night, in breach of prohibition entered into by him.

Sergeant M'Beth stated, on oath, he heard billiards being played between a quarter past 12 midnight and 20 to one; he heard gentlemen come and go, heard a bottle being opened, pulled out and pushed in, and saw several naval officers come outwards, and a dog belonging to Hongkong. — Magistrate (to witnesses):—Where any disturbance (to witnesses):—

1.—Witness replied that the chairmen either created a disturbance while outside the door; none of the people drunk, though they had been drinking, were able to take care of selves. — Magistrate: Did you see billiards being played, or people drinking? —

2.—Witness replied that he was in front of the house and heard the billiard balls rolling. — Magistrate: remarked to defendants that he seemed to be keeping his house rather late. Still he was not sure it was a case that was worth while bringing up. The constabls had seen no drinking or tipping, and he had only the billiard balls knocking about. There was no disturbance and no mischief. He hoped, however, that the court would observe the hours better than — Defendant promised that he and the sumo one was dismissed.

On the 31st appeared a charge a respectable Chinese with a sword, and a slightly discolored eye as a proof of the Lokong's story.

Announcing the defendant's plea that

Yedo of the very richly gaudied in attendance on the Mikado's young heir, who passed through Kanagawa week. Ten times the number of nobles gathered a daimio, in the days of the disaster were thought necessary for the safety of the court. The procession, led by a man of rank, was a long one, and of much simplicity. The proposition that, for the mere spectators, they should pay the trouble of walking from Edo to the Tokaido. It was all the more interesting, for that very reason, to who look below this surface of things. The native landlords promise to contribute at least the fulfillment of their part of the Tokaido entered into nine years ago. Yokohama was assigned to us as the place to agree to pay a ground rent of £70 sterling a year for the land in the city, and for a multiplicity of taxes, and expenses, road making, or scavenging. We have paid this regularly, but have the right either a street or drain worthy of a daimio. The natural consequence is that the soil is now saturated with filth, and the city is being slowly poisoned, and diseases as typhus, typhoid fever and cholera of the throat are becoming common. The best man amongst us have been sent for several years, with instructions to get rid of them, but the foreign Ministers, to whom we have repeatedly applied, have always pleaded inability to assist us, and our only recourse appears to be a petition to the home government.

On the 10th of December, 1862, the employer addressed one of his men, who on a calamity had fallen, to appeal to the others for aid. The man subsequently placed the list of subscriptions before the master, who returned it to him, saying, "It is not as if we were in the mountains." "Zounds," replied the other, "I will not give you the hint!"

Dr Temple for having erred in his opinion to the satisfaction of a gentleman. The story is that all Dr Pusey's rhetoric comes to this: it is put into plain English, is this: Dr Temple took too chivalrous a view of duty to his friends, and did not think opinions so detestable as Dr Pusey thinks them to be. It is possible that a man of high, more orthodox opinions could not see in such a wrong view of his in such a case, as so glibly, not only, but, of weakness too. Dr Temple is dead, as we have gone, Dr Temple is dead, not even from the slightest, and that he agrees with Dr Rowland and Mr Wilson, but because he has to denounce them. It is obvious, in that his appointment is not resisted grounds of the slightest deviation from the truth, but for a reprehensible ground of honour towards heterodox friends. Dr Pusey, without doubt, is in this rather a weak ground for his basis of indignation. Admitting, however, of argument, that the "Esays Reviewers" were terribly heretical, that Dr Temple was weak in his attitude towards the heretics, and admitting further that such weakness would tell his fitness to be a bishop, it is still no way to the inference that his unfitness to be so great a weakness, an open revolt against the constitutive authority. Dr Temple, therefore, quoted in propositions, Dr Temple's essay to come to the conclusion that it to be incommensurate. We may add that these are the worst passages of the ingenuity of a skilled theologian to discover upon, which to found any ground of heresy. He also quotes the story of Dr Moberly as a "gentle and a writer," who finds an identity of between Dr Temple's essay and heresy. Dr Moberly may be a gentle in ordinary writer, but we know so well

name, dependent in proper zeal against  
 the vilest wing of the Establishment.  
 Mr. Meany says, "The brethren to  
 the doctrine of both his brethren to  
 equally poisonous, and only condemn  
 that one is covered with leprosy and  
 their leprous enough to be contagious  
 but being openly offensive. The party  
 professes more liberal principles in  
 the weakest in everything but ability.  
 are three such hostile forces to be re-  
 within one camp? Are we not, in  
 words, merely observing one  
 addition, a great tide which is  
 setting towards a great calamity?"  
 y years have been occupied in bring-  
 his hostility, what will be the state of  
 church by the end of the century?

news is almost too good to be true.  
 till it is officially confirmed that the  
 of Arkansas, which for 30 years has  
 stated its debt, is about to pay. This  
 had nothing to do with the ge-  
 vernment of the United States;  
 separate portion of the Republic has  
 legislature, which controls all mat-  
 finance and the internal economy.  
 worthy of Arkansas, a common  
 over other States, made of this  
 it issued bonds to the amount of  
 100 to establish banking institutions,  
 almost immediately failed. Many  
 bonds were taken up in England,  
 a fraction of interest was ever paid  
 them. One English holder went out  
 officially appealed to the honour of  
 community, was met in vain. Now the  
 legislature has passed an Act to pay  
 all in and interest, with all arrears. The  
 promise is better late than never, but it  
 is late. Few of the original holders  
 recover their losses, for most of these  
 bonds were parted with for a song.  
 spirit of honesty ever reviving in

did not, in fact, appear in the first time issued by Moore, and which contained an account of the separation. But the admitted inaccuracy compared with that committed by the authors of the new Story.

The incidents of the attempt to prove Byron innocent are next examined. The gist of all this, so far as Lady Byron is concerned, is that if Lord Byron could have been proved to be insane, and could not have been cured, she would have resorted to live with him, but that if not, as, if he were sane, she would insist that he insist upon a separation. In fact, however thoroughly proved and would be, it was somewhat insufficient for the condemnation of incest on the part of any wife, much less one of such redoubtancy as that with which we are acquainted Lady Byron.

In regard to the statement of "a witness had the good fortune to anticipate," the reviewer is alluding to the *Temple Bar Magazine* for June, 1820, in which the following statement is given:—"that neither to public nor to his private letters, did I permit them to be inserted; and I thought it my duty to inform you of this." It is also stated that "two letters are given in the work, one from Lady Byron to the other, and another from her to Lord Byron." In 1820 Lord Byron informed his wife of his having given his memoirs for publication after his death, offering her the perusal of them, and she might wish to confute any statements." They are as follow—

"Kirkby Mallory, March 16, 1820.  
I received your letter of January 1, offering me a memoir of part of your life, to inspect in connection with the publication of such a composition at any time as you shall think fit to send it to me. I am obliged to Ada's future happiness, and I make I have no reason to shrink from doing so; but notwithstanding the injuries which I have suffered, I should lament some of the circumstances."

Kirkby Mallory  
and Emma

(The day after she left London.)  
My dearest Augustus—It is my great comfort that  
I am in Piacenza.  
"Kirby Mallory, Jan. 23, 1816.  
Dearest A. I know you feel for me as I  
for you, and perhaps I am better understood.  
I think. You have been, ever since I knew  
my best comfort, and will so remain, un-  
der the glow of the office, which may well  
be so.  
My dearest Augustus—Jan. 25, 1816.  
I must resign my rights to be so con-  
fident. I don't think that will make any  
difference in the distance I have so uniformly  
received from you.  
"Kirby Mallory, Feb. 2d, 1816.  
My dearest Augustus—You are desired by  
brother to ask, if my father has acted with  
me in proposing a separation. He  
thinks it cannot, in my present  
situation, I am capable of taking in a  
different manner, the reasons which will not only  
be a measure, but compel me to take it;  
I never can be my wish to remember any  
circumstances [sic] those injuries for which, however  
I feel so regretted.  
I think I will now only re-  
turn to my father's mind his avowed and tacit  
consent to the marriage state, and the  
determination he has expressed ever  
since his commencement to free himself from  
bondage, as finding it quite insupportable,  
and candidly acknowledging that no effort  
on his affection has been wanting, and that  
he is so painfully convinced me that all his  
efforts are to contribute towards his happiness  
wholly useless, and most unwelcome to  
me, unless this letter to my father, wishing  
for his sanction, his sanction—Ever, yours more  
devotedly.  
"A. I. BRYAN."  
(To be continued.)

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## Intimations.

**UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR AND LADY MACDONNELL.**  
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BEGS to announce that he has Re-opened his **PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY** at the corner of Wyndham and Wellington Streets, where he solicits the inspection of his collection.  
Large size Photographs Portraits in Water Colors or Oil.  
Hongkong, August 7, 1889.

**CONSULAR NOTIFICATION.**  
HE Undersigned, in pursuance of the instructions of His Excellency Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1889, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of Shanghai and Tientsin, and entered on his duties at Acting Consul.  
W. M. COOPER.  
British Consulate,  
Tientsin, June 15, 1889.

**DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS.**  
HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong. Office and Residence, 59, Wyndham Street, but patients visited at their homes if desired. All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work insured on gold, silver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum.  
Hongkong, June 14, 1889.

**HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.**  
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J. W. WOOD,  
Club Chambers,  
Hongkong, July 20, 1889.

**CHRISTMAS MEATS.**  
THE Undersigned begs to inform the Residents of Hongkong, that he will supply for the Christmas Vacation Prime Joint of BEEF, VEAL, and MUTTON, on the most reasonable terms. CORNED MEATS, HAMS, and TONGUES always on hand, and will be sent addressed by any of the coast steamers, freight free. Any persons requiring joints will please send their orders by first opportunity, addressed to  
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Comptroller, SWATOV.

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C. L. VOLCKMAN,  
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Hongkong, October 5, 1889.

**NOTICE.**  
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PROBATE of the last Will and Testament of DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, formerly of Hongkong and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the Undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named, All persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby notified to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having Claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in particulars of their Claims to the Undersigned, at the Office of Messrs DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., or to HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esquire, Solicitor, on or before the 31st day of January 1890, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted. Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1889.  
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Executor.

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A Large assortment of MILLINERY, BONNETS, and HATS, of the latest fashions.  
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Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES, in white and colors, all sizes.  
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**IN consequence of an announcement made by Mr. KELLY on the night of the last performance at the Garrison Theatre that the Amateurs 7th Regt. would appear again on Saturday Evening, I beg to state for the information of the Play-going Public that Mr. KELLY had no authority to make the announcement, and that no further performance will take place at the above Theatre until further notice.  
W. GODFREY, Cr. Sergt.,  
President,  
Hongkong, November 27, 1889.**

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UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF H.R.H. THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH, K.G., K.T., AND THE OFFICERS OF H.M.S. GALATHEA.  
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Wines and Spirits of the First Quality.  
D. BROWNE, Proprietor,  
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Hongkong, April 29, 1889.

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AUCTIONEERS,  
NEWS AND COMMISSION AGENTS,  
WELLINGTON STREET,  
HONGKONG.  
**FRICKEL & Co**  
SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS,  
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AND COMMISSION AGENTS,  
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**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
(FIRE AND LIFE.)  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.  
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein; on Coal or on Merchandise on Board Vessels; and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Insurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.  
If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single Life.  
For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to  
ARNOLD KARBURG & Co.  
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.  
Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

**OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
LONDON.  
Incorporated 1869.  
CAPITAL—£1,000,000.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 6, 1887.

**LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates.  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1888.

**PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.  
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.  
Hongkong, September 28, 1888.

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, August 24, 1884.

**NOTICE.**  
IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.  
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 10 days, 1/2 of the annual rate.  
Above 10 days and not exceeding 1 month, 1/3 do.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/4 do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/5 do.  
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12 months, 1/6 do.  
Above 12 months, the full annual rate.  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, August 13, 1889.

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.  
UNTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurances, viz:—  
Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1/3 per cent.  
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents, 1/4 per cent.  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1885.

**BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY AND FORBES & CO'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms.  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, February 26, 1888.

**NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.  
ESTABLISHED 1809.  
CAPITAL £2,000,000.  
ANNUAL REVENUE £297,263.  
THE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.  
GILMAN & Co.  
Hongkong, June 2, 1884.

**NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.  
Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, 1/3 per cent.  
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their Contents, 1/4 per cent.  
GILMAN & Co.,  
Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, March 9, 1886.

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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.  
FROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 10 days, 1/2 of the annual rate.  
Above 10 days and not exceeding 1 month, 1/3 do.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/4 do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/5 do.  
Above 6 months and not exceeding 12 months, 1/6 do.  
Above 12 months, the full Annual rate.  
GILMAN & Co.,  
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1888.

**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.**  
THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1888.

**NOTICE.**  
MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.  
THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 per cent.  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/3 do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 1/4 do.  
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, April 8, 1888.

**THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurances on the usual Terms.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, December 26, 1887.

**LIFE ASSURANCE.**  
THE Undersigned are authorized to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5,000.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, October 14, 1888.

**THE following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances:**  
One month, 1/2 per cent.  
Three months, 1/3 do.  
Six months, 1/4 do.  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1888.

**HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks in the above Company for a period of Ten Days on Merchandise stored in first class Godowns, at one eighth of one per cent.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, August 26, 1889.

**ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.**  
NOTICE.  
FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 10 days, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.  
10 days, 1/3 do.  
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 do.  
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Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1888.

**THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLION STERLING.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all sizes, at Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour, a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.  
Attached to it the Company have erected powerful Machinery, and are prepared to manufacture and repair marine and stationary Engines, and Steam Machinery of all kinds; to make and repair Boilers of all sizes, or machinery for sugar crushing, refining, chaffing, grinding, and every description of Factory or Mill work.  
A commodious Jetty has been completed, alongside of which Vessels drawing 18 feet of water can lie at any state of the tide, attached to the Jetty are Steers capable of lifting Fifty



